

WARNINGS AND TICKETS

IF YOU RECEIVE A WARNING:

Correct the parking violation **immediately** to avoid further enforcement.



IF YOU RECEIVE A CITATION:

Correct the parking violation **immediately** to avoid further citations.

THEN:

Follow the instructions on the ticket and make sure to pay the citation on time and appear for your court date. You can contact the Tualatin Municipal Court at 503.691.3025.



\$ FINES \$

State Statute (ORS) parking tickets issued by police can range from **\$97 to \$160** for each occurrence. Abandoned or hazardous vehicles can be towed at the owner's expense. (ORS 811/819.100-120)

City Downtown/Core Area Parking Tickets range from **\$10 to \$50** and are payable within 10 days. The fines double after 10 days. Unpaid tickets can result in the vehicle being booted and towed. (TMC 8-1.360)

City Ordinance Fines are up to **\$500.00 per day** or per occurrence. This includes parking on the street over 72 hours (storage on the street), parking on the landscaping and inoperable vehicles stored outside of the garage. (TMC 8-1/6-4/6-13/7-1.050)

DEFINITIONS

VEHICLE:

Vehicle means any device in, upon or by which a person or property is or may be transported or drawn upon a public highway and includes vehicles that are propelled or powered by any means but does not include a manufactured structure. (ORS 801.590)

ABANDONED VEHICLE:

A vehicle is considered abandoned if it has been on a public right-of-way (street) for more than 24 hours and **one or more** of the following criteria apply:

- ⇒ It appears disabled or is inoperable.
- ⇒ It does not belong to somebody in the immediate area. (ORS 819)

INOPERABLE OR DISREPAIR:

Inoperable includes a vehicle that is broken down, not being driven or not legal for operation on public streets. Vehicles with no license plates; expired registration; no insurance; or missing parts required by law are a "red flag" a violation exists. Major disassembly or major disrepair means that the vehicle is missing tires or wheels, body parts, or is otherwise visibly unable to be driven.

TO REPORT PARKING PROBLEMS

**Call the Non-Emergency/
Dispatch number at
503.629.0111**



City of Tualatin

www.tualatinoregon.gov

Parking Basics



Police Department

8650 SW Tualatin Road
Tualatin, Oregon 97062

Main 503.691.4800

**Non-Emergency/Dispatch
503.629.0111**

PARKING ON THE STREET

(ORS 811.550)

DO NOT

- Do not park in or block a bike lane, sidewalk, crosswalk, driveway access or intersection.
- Do not parallel park facing the wrong direction; even in a cul-de-sac. The passenger side should be against the curb within 12 inches. (ORS 811.570)
- Do not park within 10 feet of a fire hydrant.
- Do not park or stop in a No Parking area.
- Do not park within 50 feet of a stop sign or traffic signal blocking its view.
- Do not park a vehicle "For Sale" on the street or repair a vehicle on the street (TMC 8-1.160 (2)(a))
- Do not park over 72 continuous hours on the street or store a vehicle/object on the street. (TMC 8-1.260)
- Do not park in a marked space for persons with disabilities. Permits must be conspicuously displayed. (ORS 811.615)

PARKING ON PROPERTY

DO NOT

- Do not park on any portion of the landscaping, yard or backyard. TMC 6-13.040(10)(b)&(g) &TDC 73.370(2)
- Do not create a temporary driveway using plywood, carpet, bark dust, or other materials. TMC 6-13.040(10)(b)&(g) &TDC 73.370(2)
- Do not park on or drive over a sidewalk, planter strip or curb. (TMC 8-3.110)



WHERE CAN I PARK?

- Paved driveways are the correct place to park operable and regularly driven vehicles.
- Vehicles driven on a daily basis can be parked on the street.

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- Inoperable vehicles must remain inside a garage until repaired. If a garage is not available obtain offsite storage for the vehicle or consider donating it. TMC 6-13.040(10)(b)&(g) &TDC 73.370(2)
- Inoperable vehicles parked outside on private property for more than 5 days can be a City Ordinance violation. (TMC 6-13.040, 6-4.150)
- Inoperable vehicles parked on the street over 24 hours may be towed as abandoned at the owner's expense. (ORS 819) See Definitions
- Vehicles that leak fluids are hazardous to the environment and subject to City Ordinance fines as well as Clean Water Services.



The violations listed are only excerpts of the laws. For more information review the: Tualatin Municipal Codes, Chapter 6 & 8, at www.TualatinOregon.gov and the Oregon Revised Statutes, Chapter 811 & 819, at www.OregonLaws.org.